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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Canceled)

~~3~~ ¹ ~~2~~ (Currently Amended) The composite elastic material as claimed in claim ~~3~~ ¹ 4, including an elasticized fabric layer intimately bonded to one side of the silicone elastomer layer.

~~1~~ ² ~~3~~ (Currently Amended) A composite elastic material useful for prosthetic applications, comprising:

at least one cured silicone elastomer layer containing silicone oil;

hollow microspheres dispersed throughout the elastomer layer, including an elasticized fabric layer intimately bonded to one side of the silicone elastomer layer.

~~The composite elastic material as claimed in claim 2;~~ wherein said composite elastic material is in the form of a tubular prosthetic suction liner having a closed distal end, and dimensioned and configured so as to be rollable onto a distal end of a residual limb of a prosthetic device user.

~~2~~ ⁴ ~~1~~ (Currently Amended) A composite elastic material useful for prosthetic applications, comprising:

at least one cured silicone elastomer layer containing silicone oil;

hollow microspheres dispersed throughout the elastomer layer;

an elasticized fabric layer intimately bonded to one side of the silicone elastomer layer; ~~The composite elastic material as claimed in claim 2;~~ wherein said composite elastic material is in the form of a tubular sleeve open at opposed ends with the silicone elastomer layer covering the inside wall of the sleeve and the elasticized fabric covering the exterior of the sleeve.